Mountain Weather Forecast

Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 10 Jul 2021 until 23:59 on Sunday 11 Jul 2021

Forecast Issued on Friday 09 Jul 2021 at 15:17 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for showery weather for the next few days, but low confidence for extent of showers on daily basis.

Headline for Saturday 10 Jul 2021: A few afternoon showers in the east, mainly dry across the west of the area.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 10 Jul 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG	FOG	FOG					
Fog	Fog	Fog	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	00%	10%	30%	30%	20%

Forecast for Saturday 10 Jul 2021

Weather: Many ranges dry in the morning. Some low cloud around in the morning period, leading to some extensive hill fog in the east of the area. Bright in the afternoon with some sunshine, the best of this across western coastal ranges. A few heavy showers are expected across the Trossachs, eastern Argyll and eastern Lochaber but staying generally dry elsewhere. Rather warm and humid in the sunshine.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 70%

Visibility: Areas of low cloud down to 400 metres at first, this dispersing through the morning. Otherwise most summits clear of cloud with good visibility, some hill fog developing above 850 metres in heavy showers in the east.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	7/9 W	5/7 SE	4/6 SE	5/8 SW	7/11 SW	9/13 SW	5/8 NW	6/7 SE	7/10 SE
900	5/7 S	3/4 SE	3/5 SE	3/5 NE	6/9 SW	7/12 SW	4/7 NW	3/4 SE	5/7 SE
600	5/7 SE	4/5 SE	3/6 SE	3/6 SE	7/10 SW	8/13 SW	4/7 N	3/4 E	4/6 SE
300	3/6 SE	2/3 W	3/5 W	3/5 W	5/8 SW	6/11 SW	4/6 NW	2/4 E	3/4 E
Glen	4/8 SE	2/4 SE	3/5 S	2/4 S	3/7 SW	6/11 W	2/5 NW	2/4 NE	2/4 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	9/7	8/7	8/7	8/7	9/7	9/7	9/8	9/7	8/6
900	11/10	10/10	10/10	11/11	13/12	13/12	12/12	11/11	10/9
600	12/12	12/11	12/12	12/12	14/13	15/14	14/14	14/14	13/12
300	14/14	14/14	14/14	14/14	16/16	18/17	17/17	16/16	15/15
Glen	16/16	15/15	15/15	16/17	19/20	20/19	19/19	16/17	14/14
Freezing Level*	2700m	2700m	2600m	2600m	2600m	2700m	2600m	2600m	2600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nil

Forecast for Sunday 11 Jul 2021
Weather: Similar to Saturday. Some low cloud across the Trossachs, Arran and Kintyre until the end of the morning. Otherwise some sunny spells expected by the afternoon with scattered heavy showers developing across the Trossachs and more northern and eastern areas of Argyll, and eastern Lochaber. Staying dry across the southwest.

Maximum wind: Southerly 10 mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 70%

Visibility: Areas of low cloud across the south of the areas down to 450 metres in the morning, this lifting by lunchtime. Otherwise good visbility with cloud mostly confined to higher summits.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 11 rising to 21 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 12 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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